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SUBJECT: IMPLEMENTING THE DUAL USE ITEM PROVISION OF UNSCR

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Classified By: Economic-Political Counselor Dean Yap for reasons 1.4
(b) and (d).

(C) In separate meetings on March 29, EconUnit Chief delivered reftel non-paper to Thomas Baier, Head of the MFA's Multilateral International Law Unit, and Helmut Krehlik Head of the Ministry of Economics' Export and Import Control Division. Krehlik noted that previous EU regulations, which are important for Austrian national implementation, went beyond UNSC 1737 in defining and prohibiting NSG dual use exports to Iran. According to Krehlik, EU Regulations 423 (April 20, 2007) and 116 (January 28, 2008) implemented a complete ban on NSG dual use exports, except for the minor exceptions outlined in reftel.

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